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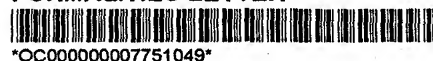
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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
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APPLICANT: Heismann et al
SERIAL NO.: 10/085,302 GROUP ART UNIT: 2841
FILED: February 28, 2002 CONFIRMATION NO.: 7544
INVENTION: "PRINTED CIRCUIT BOARD ARRANGEMENT"

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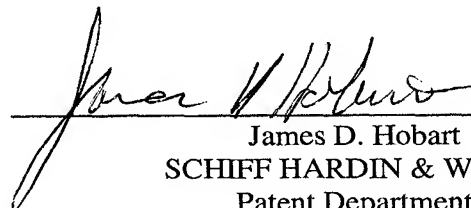
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SIR:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application Filed Under 37 CFR 1.53(b) - Filing Date Granted dated March 29, 2002, applicants are attaching herewith a copy of the application, as filed on February 28, 2002, with a Declaration attached thereto and signed by Björn Heissman and Quirin Spreiter on April 8, 2002 and by Helmut Winkelmann on April 3, 2002.

Attached herewith is a check for the \$130.00 government surcharge, and it is submitted that with the submission of this surcharge and the signed Declaration, the application papers are now complete and it is requested that the application be sent to the Examining Group.

Respectfully submitted,

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